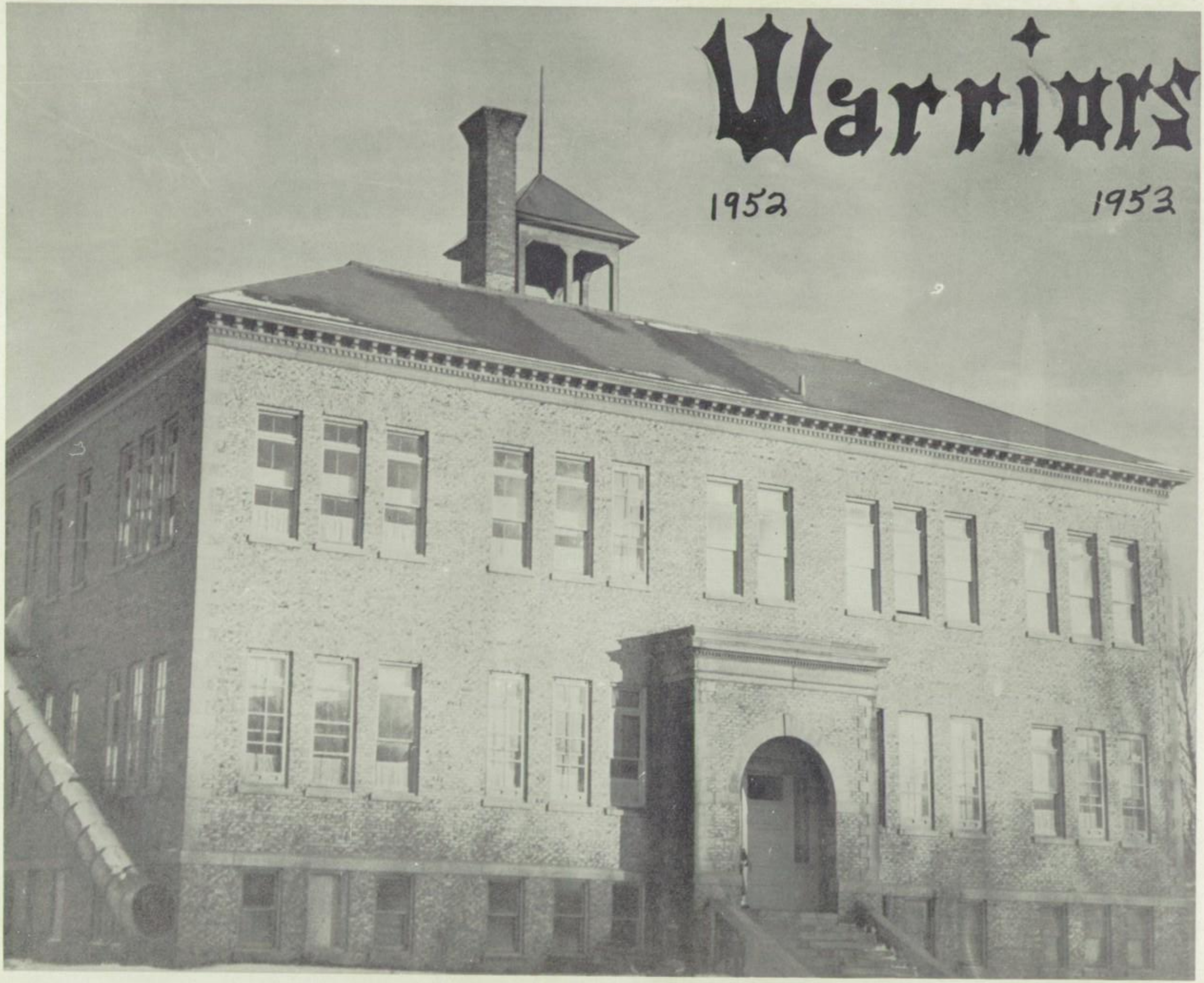
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On The Job

On Our Way to Solicit Ads For The Annual. Collections Were Better Than Ever.

Warrior Staff

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Class Editors. . . . . LeAnn Mines, Darnelle Thunker

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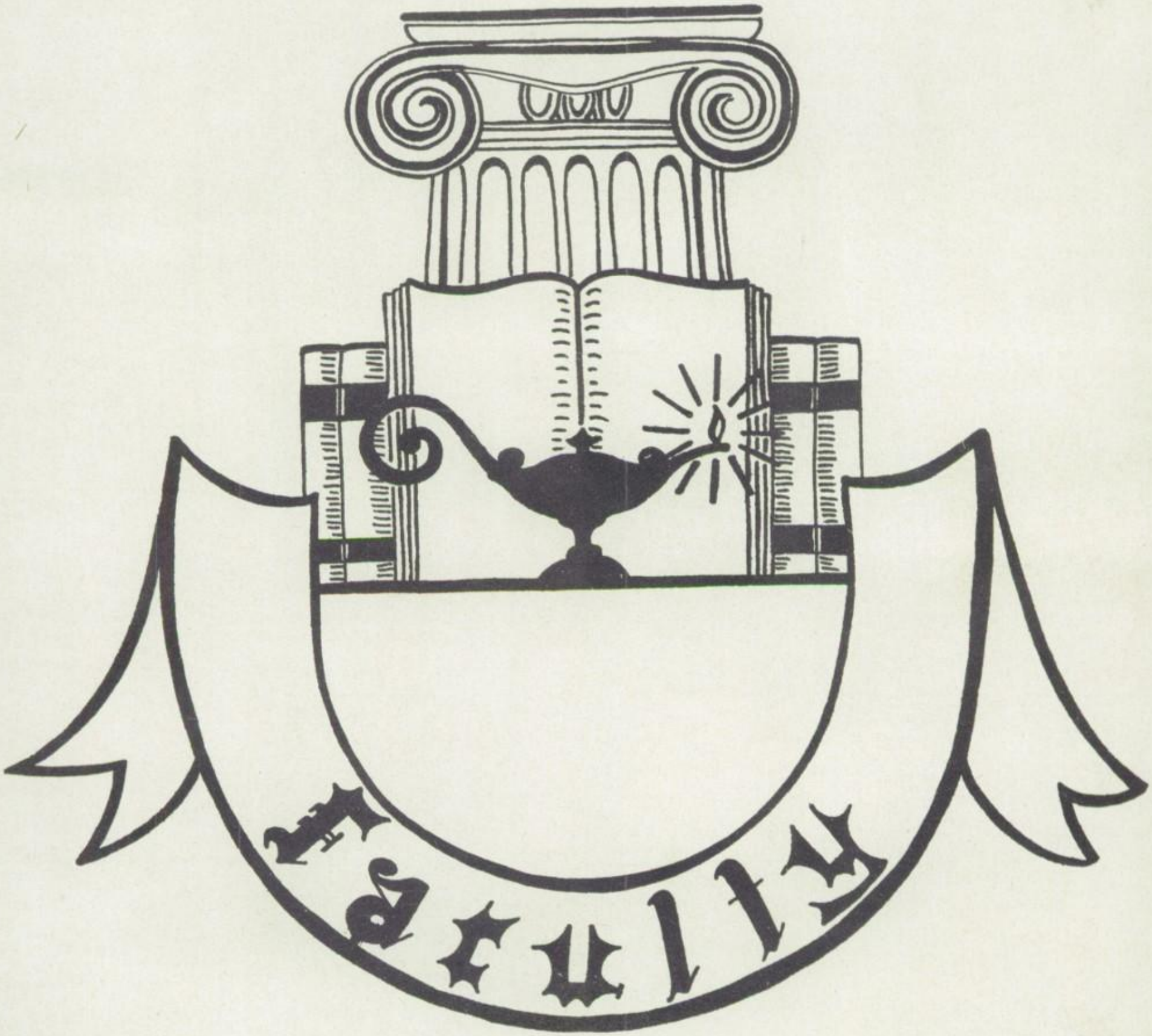
Faithful, Not Famous

We, the Senior Class of 1953, wish to dedicate this Annual to our Sponsor, Mr. Cacek. He taught us, led us, and guided us through this last year; we shall always remember him.



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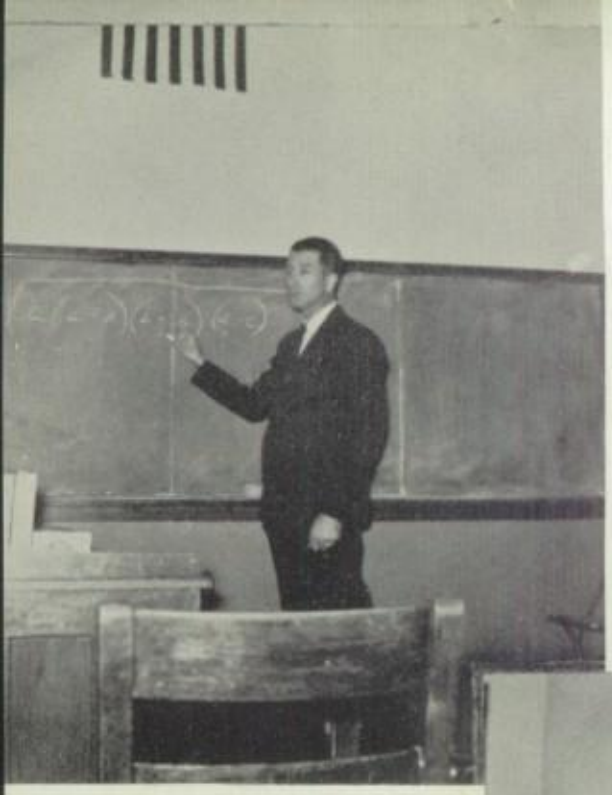

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A strong nation will endure as long as education is the backbone of the nation.

ANTHONY CACEK, JR., PRINCIPAL

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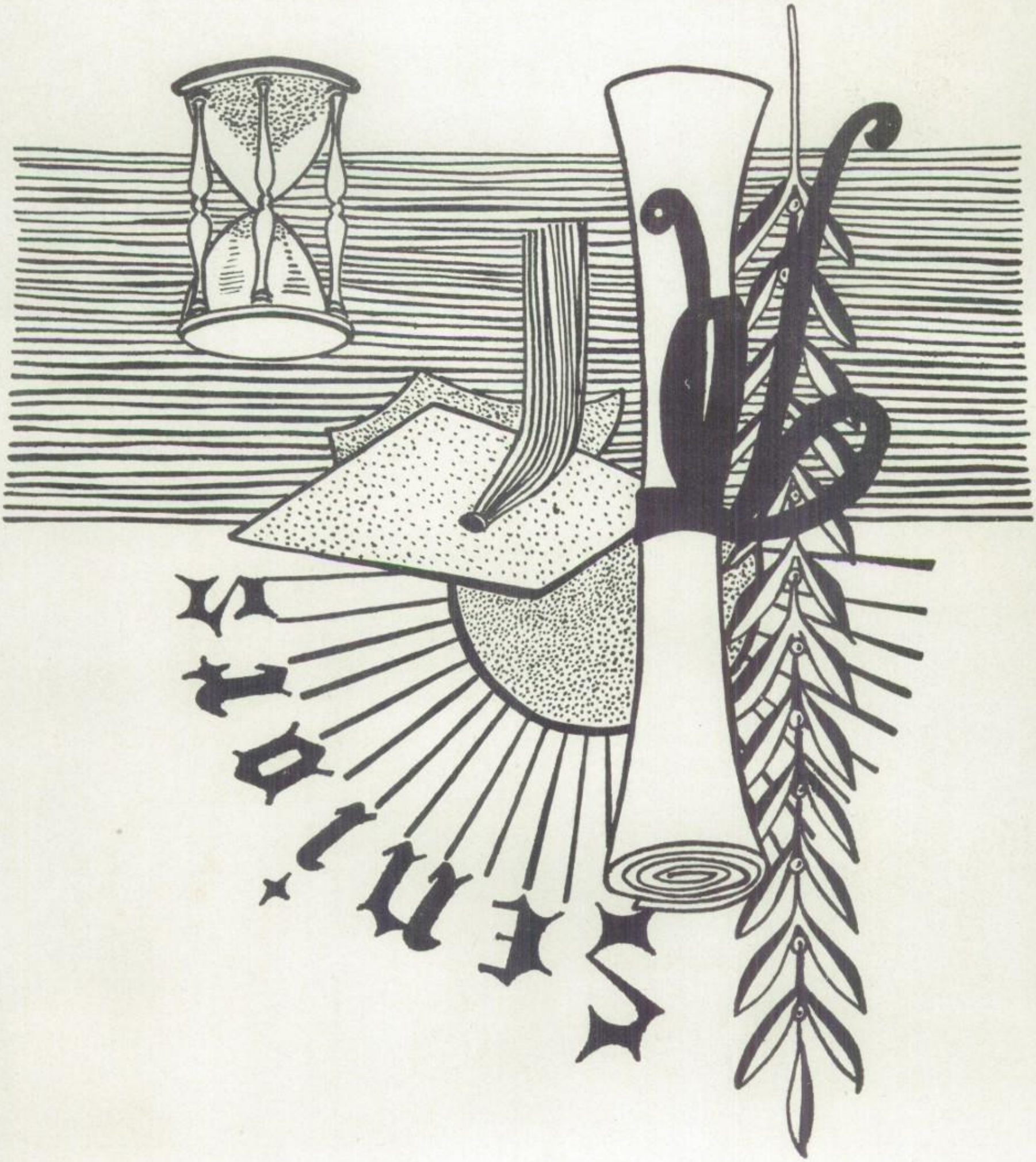

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Pep Club. 3,4
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County Government. 3
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Glee Club. 1,2,3,4
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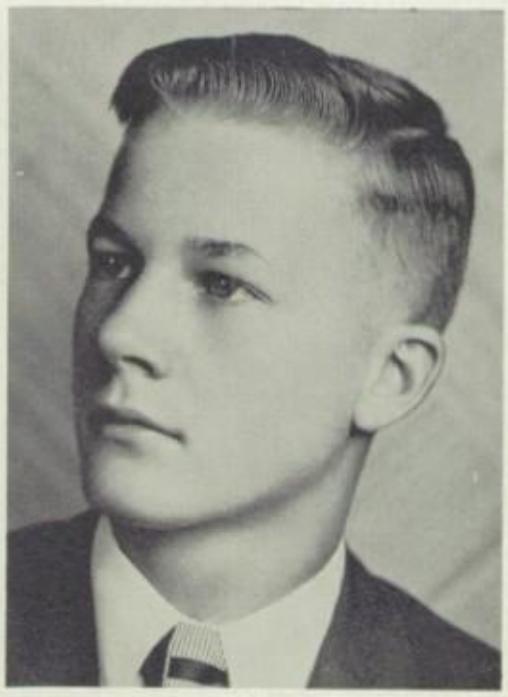

DENNIS ENGSTEDT
Football. 1,2,3,4
Basketball. 1,2,3,4
Baseball. 1,2,3,4
Track. 2,3,4
"C" Club. 2,3,4
Junior Play. 3
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JEROLD DRIESMEIR
Football. 1,2,3,4
Basketball. 2,3
Track. 2,3,4
Baseball. 1,3
"C" Club. 2,3,4
Student Manager. 2,3
Junior Play. 3
Senior Play

MARCH FILIPS
Football. 1,2,3,4
Baseball. 1,2,3
Track. 3,4
Junior Play. 3
Senior Play

ALTA MAE FISCUS
Glee Club
Senior Play

MARY LEE GRECKEL
Bloomfield. 1
Glee Club. 2,3,4
Pep Club. 2,3,4
Cheerleader. 2,4
Junior Play. 3
County Government. 3
Senior Play

DELORES HARROM
Physical Ed. 1
Pep Club. 3
Junior Play. 3
County Government. 3
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play. 4

MARVIN HEGGE
Basketball. 2,3,4
Track. 1,2,3,4
Baseball. 1,2,3,4
"C" Club. 1,2,3,4
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ROSEMARY JANSSEN
Glee Club. 1,2,3,4
Pep Club. 1,2,3,4
Secretary-Treasurer. 4
Physical Ed. 1
County Government. 3
Junior Play. 3
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Senior Play.

JOLEEN JILG
Glee Club. 1,2,4
Pep Club. 1,2,4
Physical Ed. 1
Mount Marty. 3
Cheerleader. 4
Senior Play

NOLAN KOHLES
Sioux City. 1,2

MARJORIE KUEHLER
Glee Club. 1,2,3,4
Pep Club. 1,2,3,4
Physical Ed. 1
County Government. 3
Junior Play. 3
Secretary-Treasurer. 3
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

ROGER LEADER
Baseball. 1,2,3
Boys' State. 3
Junior Play. 3
President. 4
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

DANIEL LUKENS
Baseball. 1,2,3,4
Basketball. 3,4
Track. 3,4
Junior Play. 3
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

JAMES MELROSE
Fordyce. 1,2
Basketball. 3,4
Baseball. 1,2
Track. 3,4
Senior Play

LE ANN MINES
Pep Club. 1,2
Glee Club. 4
Physical Ed. 1
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

WINONA MORKERT
Physical Ed. 1
Girls' State. 3
Pep Club. 1,2
County Government. 3
Glee Club. 1,2,3,4
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

ALVINA ROTHLUEBBER
Fordyce. 1,2
Glee Club. 3,4
County Government. 3
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

DICK SHIEFFER
Liberty. 1,2
Baseball
Basketball. 4
Senior Play

HARRY SMITH
Football. 3,4
County Government. 3
Senior Play

SHARON SWIFT
Glee Club. 1,2,3,4
Pep Club. 1,2,3,4
Cheerleader. 2,3
President. 1,3
Physical Ed. 1
Junior Play. 3
Class Reporter. 4
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

DARNELLE THUNKER
Physical Ed. 1
Pep Club. 1
Annual Staff. 4
Senior Play

WESLEY ZART
Baseball. 1,2,3,4
Basketball. 1,2,3,4
Track. 1,3,4
Student Manager. 4
Vice-President. 1,2,3,4
County Government. 3
Junior Play. 3
Annual Staff. 4
"C" Club. 4
Senior Play

Class History

It's almost over now--the whole thing. Only a few more days--possibly a banquet, sneak day or maybe a party of classmates, a test here and there, the donning of caps and gowns and the filing together into the auditorium. That will be all. When we come out again, we won't be Seniors.

Was it really four years ago that we first made our appearance at Crofton High School? Impossible! It was only yesterday--or was it a hundred years before that? We might have been here always, so familiar does it all seem. And yet how vivid are those first few weeks! How different it seemed then.

Thirty-five of us began with Mr. Ubben leading the way, assisted by Sharon Swift, Wesley Zart, and Roberta Stallings. We managed to have class parties during our Freshman year, and how the Seniors, those self-assured people, initiated us into the Student Body.

Twenty-eight of us took our place as Sophomores, Mr. Bruce our Sponsor, and Roberta, Wesley, and Jimmy led us through this year. Two parties were held during the year. Halloween was the occasion for the first. We finally gained recognition as high school students when eight members were chosen to wait tables at the Junior-Senior Banquet. Our second party this year was a hayride-picnic.

We left our Sophomore year a little better prepared for the last and most important half of our high school career. To the roll we added three new members. Mr. and Mrs. Hermsen were to help during the busy year. To assist them, Sharon took her place at the head of the class, with Wesley and Marjorie following.

Our first party was a hayride-picnic, and on November 20 we presented a play entitled "Half Past Teen," a comedy in three acts. A Valentine Buffet Supper was our second party for this year. In honor of the Seniors we held the Junior-Senior Banquet to the setting of "Old Mexico." Student Government Day saw most of us at Center, studying the processes of County Government.

We began our Senior Year with twenty-four students. Mr. Cacek led us through this final year at C. H. S. Roger was elected leader of the flock, Wes held his habitual Vice-Presidency, while Rosemary gave her assistance as Secretary-Treasurer. December 20, 1952 we held a Christmas Party that was quite a success. The annual, our rings, announcements, credits, play, banquet---all memories now.

But time, with the aid of a few patient and long suffering teachers, did its work and those frightened, blundering, noisy Freshmen, now clad in maroon robes and quiet dignity, are about to take their places together for the last time and we are getting a trifle emotional about it.

Why were we here? Have we really accomplished anything? Very little, probably. It all lies before us. But what is it? Where are we going? Will we see each other again? Perhaps we haven't changed so since initiation. We know as little about the way in which to act in this new place as we did then. We were frightened then but our hopes ran high. We are frightened now, may our hopes still run high. These years have held their heartaches, yet how happy they have been. May those years ahead be much the same!

Half-dead memories--new emotions--a smile--perhaps a tear--and then farewell.....

Senior Class Will

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

We, the members of the Senior Class, being of sound mind and body, do bequeath this will to those members of C. H. S. who remain behind us.

PROVISIONS

Feeling very affectionate toward the Junior Class, it is our desire to leave said class all our mental capacity so that they may have no difficulty in measuring up mentally to the high requirements set for Senior Classes.

As we have a very deep feeling for the members of the faculty, it is our desire to wish them many years of joyous teaching among students of our caliber. The answers on our exams and papers have probably endowed them with many facts hitherto unknown to them.

I, Verlyn Gross, will Lavern J. and Junior M. my pocket dictionary in the hopes that they expand the scope of their present vocabulary; lack of it being shown in the "written comments." I will my most treasured possession, my red, red hair back to the package, from whence it come, and I will said package to Sandra M. and Rose Marie Meyer.

I, Charlotte Douglas, will to Donna Paulsen my ability to sit in assembly and look out the window; and to Virgil Boelter, I will my good grades.

I, Jerold Dreismeier, will my ability to get along with Dave Holtz to Dave Couchman; my football equipment to anyone who wants it.

I, Dennis Engstedt, will to Dwayne Jackson my ability to stay away from women; and to Dave Couchman, will my ability to punch the wrong keys in typing.

I, March Filips, will my seat in Mr. Cacek's room (which I have had for the last four years) to Ewald Boecker; and my ability to stay in class to Bob Bogner.

I, Alta Mae Fiscus, will my ability to chew gum in school to Del Rae Wortman; to Janice Mischke my ability to have P. C. around when he is least wanted.

I, Delores Harrom, will my blue eyes to Patricia Beeson; and my last name to Lois Blankenfeld.

I, Marvin Hegge, will my ability to get out of work to Dwayne Jackson; and my ability to get back in class (after being kicked out) to the Bogner Brothers.

I, Rosemary Janssen, will my ability to talk a lot to Janice Luckenbill; and my ability to leave other girls' dates alone to Darlene Boardman. (I hope she uses it.)

I, Joleen Jilg, will my ability to go to public dances on school nights and stay out after 11 P.M. to Sandra M.; and will Wesley to Carol W. (I hope she appreciates it.)

I, Marjorie Kuehler, will my drivers' license to Jimmie Doering; and my blonde hair to Terry Schumacher (she wants them, the poor girl.)

I, Roger Leader, will my seat in the assembly to any future track star; and my ability to leave school at 4:00 to Bob Bogner.

I, Danny Lukens, will my fine growth of beard to Dwayne Jackson and Francis Maly; and my interest in girls to Elton Eckman.

I, Jimmie Meirose, will my little mouse to Bob Bogner and Arlan Walters. Best of luck to the Junior Class in 1954.

I, Le Ann Mines, will my giggle to Darlene Boardman and my love of hillbilly music to Bonnie Boardman hoping she enjoys it.

I, Winona Morkert, will my shorthand book to Donna Rae Doering; my opportunity to go to Cornhusker Girls' State to some deserving Junior.

I, Alvina Rothluebber, will the dirt on Hank's bus to Dorothy Kaiser; and my ability to have fun in general to every sober-sider in school.

I, Dick Schieffer, leave my honorable position of errand boy in American Government class to Tony Schieffer; and my unwelcome responses in Bookkeeping class to Jimmy W.

I, Harry Smith, will my student manager job to anyone foolish enough to take it; my love for the Freshman Class to the Juniors.

I, Sharon Swift, will my ability to get good grades and yet have fun to Bradley K. I will my haircut to Dorothy Kaiser.

I, Darnelle Thunker, will my ability to get my parent's permission to go on dates to Del Rae, LaVonne and Ethel. I will my fun with the Bloomfield kids to Rosy Meyer.

I, Wes Zart, will my gray jeep to James Wortman and my cowboy boots to Kieth Stefan.

Subscribed and sworn to before us on January 27, 1953:

First Witness: Anthony Cacek, Principal

Second Witness: Bernard Herman

CLASS MOTTO

We Stand Or Fall By Our Own Work.

CLASS COLORS

Orchid and Yellow

CLASS FLOWER

Yellow Rose

NEVER FORGET US

NAME	NICKNAME	SONG	WEAKNESS
Darnelle	Nellie	You Belong To Me	Nights Out
James	Strikes	Forget Me Not	Mice
Alta Mae	Sis	Mighty Pretty Waltz	Green Station Wagon
Jerald	Baldy	Rye, Whiskey	Traffic Rules
Winona	Nona	Star Dust	Novels
Sharon	Shari	Always	Ross's
Dennis	Ink	Who Drank My Beer	Girls
Rosemary	Rosy	Blue Moon	Green Plymouths
Wesley	Wes	Wild Side Of Life	Beautiful Women
Joleen	Jiggs	Hot Lips	Men
Charlotte	Red	Are You Teasing Me	Willy's Car
March	Flip	More Beer	Hot Rods
Alvina	Al	I'll Walk Alone	Jokes
LeAnn	Annie	Make Believe	Sleep
Richard	Dick	Auf Wiederseh'n	Women
Verlyn	Lindy	Side By Side	Handsome Men
Delores	Dolly	Beautiful Brown Eyes	Jerry
Roger	Rog	Missing In Action	Studies
Marjorie	Margie	Zing A Little Zong	Food
Harry	Spud	Remember Me	Cars
Daniel	Luke	Don't Fence Me In	Wine
Marvin	Marv	Cold, Cold Heart	Mischief

Strictly Seniors

1. Bashful 2. Al 3. True Love 4. Half Past Teen 5. Two Timer 6. Gallows 7. Tickled 8. Freshy 1950 9. Mousey 10. Santa 11. Hang-over? 12. Night Before 13. P. C. President 14. Candy Norton 15. Xmas Setup 16. Does Mike Know? ? 17. Lindy Gals 18. Naturally 19. The Pole Tipped 20. ?????

Senior Class Prophecy

(The following is an official report to Congress made by the United States Treasury Department. It is the findings of a nation-wide investigation of the means of income concerning suspected tax invaders, the names of whom will be of interest to the readers of this Annual).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in the year 1965 A. D., according to the power and authority granted the United States Treasury Department by the United States Congress, an investigation was made as to the means and whereabouts by which several individuals have received and are receiving their incomes.

We therefore publish this, the official findings, and report to Congress on said investigation.

To wit:

That the said persons are receiving said incomes by the following methods:

Name: CHARLOTTE DOUGLAS
Address: Cincinnati, Ohio
Employer: C. B. Parker, Cincinnati
Position: Batgirl of major league baseball club (Cincinnati Reds)

Name: DENNIS ENGSTEDT
Address: Geneva, Nebraska
Employer: State of Nebraska
Position: Guard at Women's Reform School.

Name: JERALD DREISMEIER
Address: Omaha, Nebraska
Employer: Omaha World Herald
Position: Newspaper Columnist (took over the Mary Lane series)

Name: LeANN MINES
Address: Crofton, Nebraska
Employer: Self
Position: Manager of Coon Hollow Drive-in movie.

Name: ALVINA ROTHLEUBBER
Address: Sturgis, South Dakota
Employer: Pierre Potts
Position: Manicurist at "Pierre's Beauty Saloon."

Name: MARVIN HEGGE
Address: Cameron, Missouri
Employer: State of Missouri
Position: English Teacher

Name: MARJORIE KUEHLER
Address: Chicago, Illinois
Employer: Colgate, Palmolive, Peet.
Position: Model for toothpaste ad's.

Name: RICHARD SCHIEFFER
Address: Yankton, South Dakota
Employer: C. Gurney, WNAX Studios
Position: Star of Uncle Dicky's Kiddie Hour.

Name: WESLEY ZART
Address: Crofton, Nebraska
Employer: Self
Position: Owner of taxi-cab company.

Name: SHARON SWIFT
Address: Marshalltown, Iowa
Employer: Self
Position: Hair stylist (better known as "Madam Curly")

Name: MARCH FILIPS
Address: Detroit, Michigan
Employer: Ford Motor Company
Position: Research engineer on Fords made for backseat drivers.

Name: WINONA JONES
Address: Sioux City, Iowa
Employer: Husband
Position: Housewife and author of books on child care.

Name: ROGER LEADER
Address: Tabor, South Dakota
Employer: Yankton College, Yankton
Position: Instructor of Civics, History, and American Government

Name: VERLYN CROSS
Address: Chicago, Illinois
Employer: Robinson Publishing Company
Position: Calendar artist.

Name: DOLLY HARPUM
Address: Chicago, Illinois
Employer: Robinson Publishing Co.
Position: Model for calendar artist. (Miss Verlyn Cross)

Name: DARNELLE THUNKER
Address: Yankton, South Dakota
Employer: Lola and Wally
Position: Bouncer at the Club

Name: JOLEEN MANVILLE
Address: Reno, Nevada
Employer: None
Position: Ex-wife of Tommy Manville (collected alimony)

Name: ALTA MAE FISCUS
Address: Norfolk, Nebraska
Employer: E. L. Davis, Norfolk
Position: Chorus girl at the Pink Elephant

Name: HARRY SMITH
Address: Lennox, South Dakota
Employer: Art B. Thomas, Lennox.
Position: Wrestler with the Art Thomas Carnival.

Name: ROSEMARY JANSSEN
Address: Hollywood, California
Employer: Lever Brothers, N. Y., N. Y.
Position: Newspaper gossip columnist.

Name: JAMES MEIROSE
Address: Miami, Florida
Employer: None
Position: Retired on royalties from the 'pocket-sized mousetrap'

Name: DANIEL LUKENS
Address: Hossblanket, Nebraska
Employer: Great Western Sugar Co.
Position: Sugar-beet squeezer.

ANONYMOUS

SENIOR CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Crofton Hi Senior class held their Christmas party on Monday evening in the CDA. club rooms. A full course roast turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served. The banquet table and room were gaily decorated and gifts were distributed by Santa who made an early call. Candy, nuts and popcorn balls were also served. The Committees were assisted by the following mothers: Mrs. Fmil Janssen, Mrs. C. H. Swift, Mrs. Wm. Thunker and Mrs. Joe Filips.

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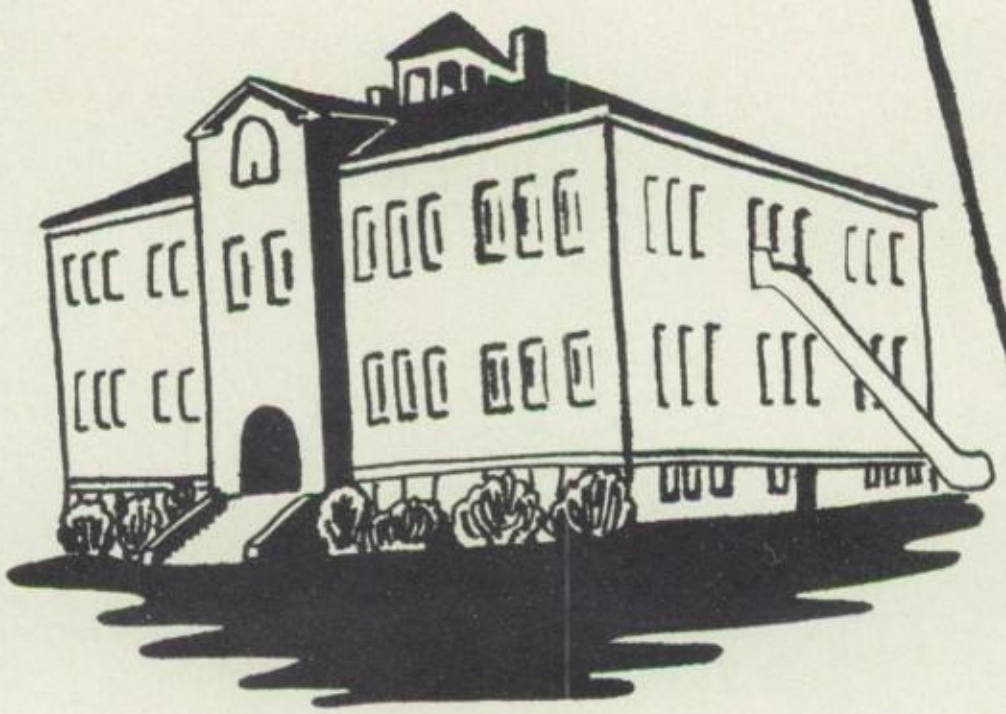
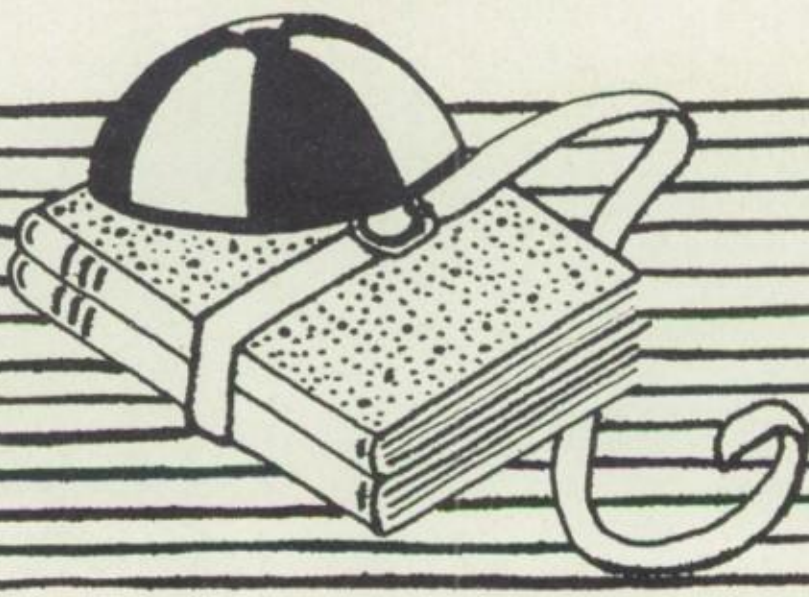




CLASS OFFICERS

President. . . . . .Rosemarie Mueller
Vice-President. . . . Rosemarie Meyer
Secretary-Treasurer. .Darrell Hofmaier
Sponsors. . . . . Mr. and Mrs. Hermsen

The Juniors

The Junior class held a party on October 30, in a Halloween setting of black and orange crepe paper. The evening was spent in playing games. At the close of the evening a delicious lunch was served by the food committee.

CLASS OFFICERS

President. . . . . Robert Meyer
Vice-President. . Terry Lou Schumacher
Secretary. . . . . Beverly Armstrong
Treasurer. . . . . Sandra Mischke
Sponsor. . . . . Mr. Oleson

The Sophomores

On Tuesday evening, September 31, 1952, members of the Sophomore Class, along with their sponsor, Mr. Oleson, held a wiener roast and hike at the Chalk racks near Crofton.

CLASS OFFICERS

President. . . . . Ronnie Beems
Vice-President. . . . . Ewald Boecker
Secretary. . . . . Ethel Hofmaier
Treasurer. . . . . .Larry Nohr
Sponsor. . . . . .Mr. W. Ubben

The Freshmen

On Thursday evening, October 3, the Freshman Class had their semester picnic at the city park. All were present to play games and enjoy a delicious wiener roast. The faculty members were guests of the class.

Platter Poll

March Filips. . . . . Slowpoke
Joleen Jilg. . . . . Dangerous Curves
Margie Kuehler. . . . . I Love The Sunshine Of Your Smile
Mr. Oleson. . . . . Personality
Daniel Lukens. . . . . Gee, I Wish That I Had A Girl
Sharon Swift. . . . . I'm Trying To Forget You
James Meirose. . . . . Three Blind Mice
Mrs. Johnson. . . . . Walkin' To Missouri
Dick Schieffer. . . . . Dimples And Cherry Cheeks
Dennis Engstedt. . . . . Sugar Blues
Rosemary Janssen. . . . . I'm Through With Love
Marvin Hegge. . . . . I Was Only Teasing You (Mrs. J.)
Alvina Rothleubber. . . . . Wish You Were Here
Dolly and Verlyn. . . . . We're Makin' Whoopee
Wesley. . . . . Wine, Women, And Song
LeAnn. . . . . Don't Let The Stars Get In Your Eyes
Harry Smith. . . . . I'll Walk Alone
Winona. . . . . Somewhere Along The Way
Charlotte. . . . . It Is No Secret
Darnelle. . . . . Come Ona My House
Alta Mae. . . . . Tell Me Whose Girl Are You
Roger. . . . . I Don't Care
Jerry. . . . . Cannonball Pete
Seniors. . . . Hate To See You Go, But Have A Good Time
Mr. Cacek. . . . . Daddy's Little Girl
Dave Holtz. . . . . Let Mother Nature Have Her Way
Jerry D. and Dave C.. . . . . Milk Bucket Boogie
Mr. and Mrs. Hermsen. . . . . No Two People
Althea Bruns. . . . . When I Look Into Your Eyes
Mrs. Ross. . . . . Patricia
Beverly Armstrong. . . . . In My Merry (Mercury)
Mr. Ubben. . . . . Rock Of Gibralter
Donna Doering. . . . . Keep It A Secret
Darlene Boardman. . . . . Let's Fall In Love
Bonnie B. . . . . Just One More Chance
Ethel and Larry. . . . . Too Young
Bogner Bros. . . . . Now Is The Hour (To Study)
Elton. . . . . Smile
Ewald B. . . . . Devil's Deputy
Keith Steffen. . . . . Hoop De Doo
Bradley Kusel. . . . . To Each His Own
Duane Jackson. . . . . Love Is Just Around The Corner
Carolyn Hillman. . . . . Dark Eyes
Diana Jilg. . . . . I'm A Big Girl Now
Wilfred Tramp. . . . . Old McDonald Had A Farm
Raymee Rogers. . . . . Solitaire
Lois Ann Guenther. . . . . At Last
Irmie G. . . . . There's Always Room At Our House
Carol W. . . . . Three Letters
Junior M. . . . . Skirts
Leo and Ewald. . . . . Me And My Shadow
PC Girls at Verdigre Game. . . . . A Sinner Am I
Student Body. . . . . In Care Of The Birmingham Jail
Leitha Cool. . . . . Five Foot Two
Alice B. . . . . Busybody
Marigay Eliasson. . . . . Piano Roll Blues
Dave Couchman. . . . . The Old Ford Rambled Right Along

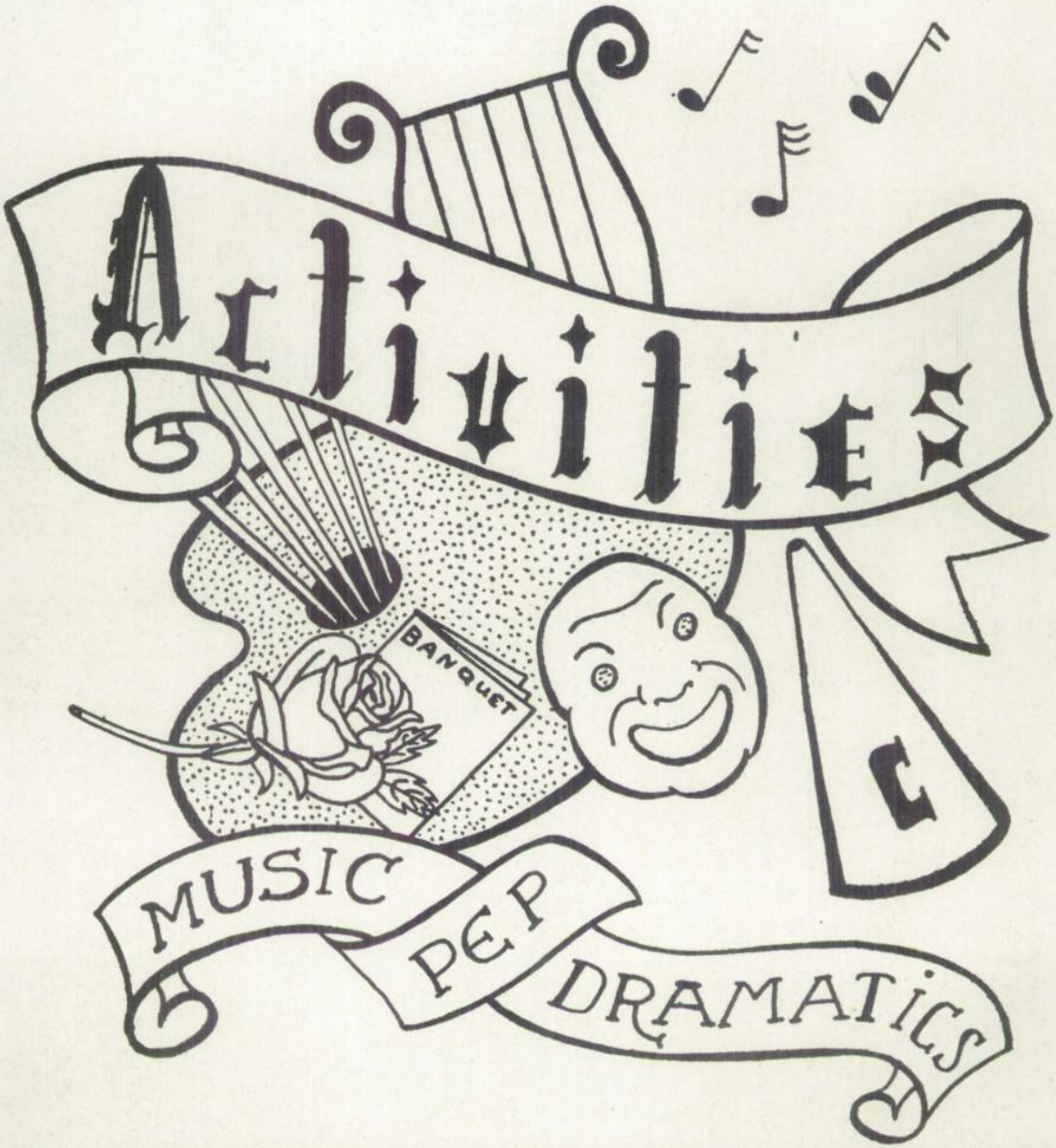
Hot Lips

Tweet Tweet

Yak Yak

We're from C.H.S.

Cold Feet



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Battle for Bill

Shorthand Artists

Reference Work

After Four P.M.

Sewing??

The Gallery

Junior Party

CHS FLASHBACKS

JUNIOR PLAY IS WELL LIKED BY AUDIENCE

The Battle for Bill, the junior class play that was presented on Tuesday December 2 was attended by a very large crowd and many comments have been received as to the enjoyable time the audience had. Laughter was a plenty and satisfaction sincere. The Juniors of Crofton High did a fine job.

GROUP PICTURES FOR ANNUAL ARRIVE

The following pictures of organized groups in the high school have been received and may be obtained from class sponsors:

Freshman, sophomore, junior classes; glee club; pep club; cheerleaders, football squad; annual staff; assembly room; school building all the grade school rooms.

PHOTOS TAKEN OF STUDENTS TUESDAY

Picures of individual students were taken in the Crofton Public schools on Tuesday by a professional photographer. The grade and high school students were photographed. The pictures will be sent to the school sometime in March and purchased by the students if desired. This is a practice of the school system every two years. There is no charge to the students unless they wish to purchase photos.

WARRIORS WIN FIRST DROP ANOTHER GAME

The Crofton High School Warriors finally broke into the win column after losing four straight basketball games by edging a scrappy Osmond five 56 to 53 at Crofton Friday, January 9. It was the first conference win for Crofton; they have dropped one confer ce game so far. The game was nip and tuck all the way through and no predictions could be made as to the final outcome. It seemed as if the Crofton squad just overpowered the visiting team. Dennis Engstedt was high point man for Crofton with 14 points.

Verdigre remained undefeated last Monday night when they overran the Crofton Warriors with a 0 to 14 trouncing. The Verdigre boys were good and presented a well balanced scoring punch and a tight defense. It seemed that every time the visitors gained possession of the ball it was sure score.

Confusion reigned with the Crofton Warriors and everything they did seemed to go wrong. Most of the Verdigre scoring was done with a fast break and lay up shots. Crofton's scoring was done mostly via free throws. Ondracek led the visitors with 20 points while Hegge had 4 for Crofton.

The Warriors next game is Friday evening, January 16, with the visiting Winside club. The game will start at 7:00 in the Crofton Auditorium.

FRESHMAN CLASS HOLDS PICNIC THURSDAY

On Thursday evening, Oct. 2, the freshman class of Crofton High School held their semester picnic at the Crofton city park. All the freshmen were present and games were played before the picnic lunch was served. The highlight of the affair was a weiner roast. The faculty members were guests of the freshmen.

Onother highlight, and this was in fun, was when some of freshies were taken to and placed in the cemetery tool shed. The seniors had an inkling the freshies would be scared, but we hear the tables reversed.

CHS SEAL DRIVE SUCCESS

A total of $91.28 was collected in the Crofton Public school system for the sale of 1952 TB Xmas seals. Mr. Cacek, chairman of the sale, said this was the largest amount ever sold. High praise must go to the Public Grade School students for their tireless efforts during the campaign. A grand total of $61.00 was turned in by the grade children. As in the past students who sold 100 or more seals have been rewarded by the Tuberculosis Association with a comb or pencil. These have already been distributed. The funds collected have been sent to the County Association at Center for proper disposal.

NEW BOOKS FOR CROFTON HIGH LIBRARY

Many new books have been obtained for library use in the high school and may now be checked out for student use. Most of the books are of fiction or story form and should be of interest to all students. In addition to these, a new set of the Encyclopedia American has been purchased, also many bound editions of the National Geographic magazine, which brings these up to date, and also a new series of student dictionaries. Many new additions have also been made in the grade libraries.

SHARON SWIFT, ROSEMARY JANSSEN TO EDIT ANNUAL

The senior class of Crofton Hi school has begun work on the high school yearbook with a promise of a bigger and better book than ever. At the helm of the staff this year will be Sharon Swift and Rosemary Janssen co-editors. Roger Leader is the business manager and Dick Schieffer the Assistant business manager. Others making up the staff are as follows:

Daniel Lukens, sports editor; Winona Morkert, photo editor; Delores Harrom, layout manager Verlyn Cross, art editor; Alvina Rothluebber, Wes Zart, Marjorie Kuehler, feature editors; Le-Ann Mines, Darnelle Thunker, class editors; Anthony Cacek, ad visor.

The senior class has also ordered their graduation rings and hope to have them here in the very soon. Announcements have also been picked out and graduation pictures taken and ordered.

CROFTON—NIOBRARA TILT TO BE ON AIR

The Crofton Warrior-Niobrara six man football game will be broadcast over Station WJAG, Norfolk, this Friday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. Those who do not plan to see the game will be very fortunate indeed to hear it over the radio at that time. So all you Crofton football fans tune up the old set and lets be with the boys even though it is on the air.

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS VISITS BANK HERE

The Senior Bookkeeping class of Crofton High school paid a visit to the Crofton State Bank last Tuesday to get a first hand view of the intracacies of running a bank. This was a part of the regular class work; the class was accompanied by this instructor, Mr. Hermsen.

Mr. Tauer, president of the bank gave an interesting discussion on banking in general and the type of bookkeepig system used by the bank. There also was a demonstration of the various business machines used.

At the close of the hour long tour, Mr. Tauer and Mr. Hermsen answered questions asked by the class.

SENIORS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR DECEMBER 22

With the gay holiday season approaching the Senior Class of Crofton High has laid plans for an extensive xmas banquet to be held on Monday, December 22. Roast turkey will be the main course of the elaborate dinner planned. All the specialties which make the season so gay will also be available including a hoped for visit from Santa.

FIRST ROUND COUNTY BB TOURNEY, DROPS CROFTON

The first round of the Knox County Basketball tourney was completed Wednesday night at Center with Bloomfield, Center Creighton and Verdigre emerging as winners. In an earlier game Tuesday, St. Ludgers defeated Verdel. The Crofton Warriors met Creighton High on Wednesday and were defeated 72 to 38. This eliminates Crofton and pits Creighton against Verdigre who stopped Niobrara by 50 points. The contest between Crofton and Creighton started well with the score being tied all midway in the first quarter. Then the Creighton club opened up and were never threatened. Largen 6' 5" Creighton center scored 28 points and Hegge led the Warriors with 12.

P E P C L U B

SECOND TEAM CHEERLEADERS

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Dorothy

Terry

Phyllis

FIRST TEAM CHEERLEADERS

Marylee
Sandra
Darlene
Joleen

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GIRLS' C CLUB

Commercial Club

A commercial club has been inaugurated in the Crofton Commercial department, to promote interest and adeptness in this field. This club is sponsored by Mr. Hermsen, the commercial teacher, under the auspices of the Gregg Publishing Company and Today's Secretary Magazine. It is a nation-wide organization, promoted for the benefit of students and teachers in both high schools and colleges throughout the country. The fields of typing, bookkeeping, and shorthand are represented in the Crofton Commercial Department. The awards consist of certificates, pins, and trophies.

In shorthand, awards are made for artistic writing and speed. Certificates and pins are granted for 60, 80, 100, and 120 words a minute, the preceding being executed with a minimum of errors. Typing awards are made for speed, precision, and neatness of arrangement. Neatness, knowledge of the subject, and accuracy are necessary requirements in bookkeeping. An accomplishment for any commercial students is the Certificate of Attainment, representing the passing of Junior and Senior Membership Tests in both typing and shorthand, and speed tests, up to 100 in shorthand, and up to 50 in typing, and the Complete Theory in Shorthand.

Facts by Fact

(Overheard at a football game) Alta Mae: "With the laundry situation what it is, I don't see how the players keep their uniforms clean."

Charlotte: "Say, haven't you heard of the scrub team?"

Mr. Cacek: Bob, who was greatest character the Finns have contributed to the world?

Bob: Huckleberry.

Proud Papa: "And let me tell you Wes, that the man who gets my daughter will get a prize."

Wes: "May I see it, please?"

Favorite Quotations

Alta Mae. . . . . Life Is What You Make It.
Alvina. . . . . Live, Laugh, Love, And Be Happy.
Charlotte. . . . . With The Ropes Of The Past We Will Ring The Bells Of The Future.
Danny. . . . . A Good Sport Never Quits.
Darnelle. . . . . What You Say Is Not Always Wrong, It's How People Take It.
Delores. . . . . Life Is Like A Mirror; You Get The Best Results When You Smile At It.
Dennis. . . . . All I Want For Christmas Is My Two Front Teeth.
Dick. . . . . My Weakness: Blondes, Brunettes, and Redheads.
Harry. . . . . So Many People Take Their Share Of The Road Out Of The Middle.
James. . . . . When The Road And I Turn At The Same Time It's A Coincidence.
Jerald. . . . The Wheel That Squeaks Gets The Grease, But The One That Squeaks Too Much Gets Replaced.
Joleen. . . . . Never The Sunset, But Always The Dawn.
LeAnn. . . . . Love, Laugh, And Labor.
March. . . . . It's A Rare Fish That Learns About The Bait Before Testing The Hook.
Marjorie. . . . . Smile And The Whole World Smiles With You.
Marvin. . . . . I'm Not Afraid Of Work, In Fact, I Can Sleep Along Side Of It.
Roger. . . . . If You Want To Have Friends, Just Be One.
Rosemary. . . . . Always Look Ahead, Never Behind.
Sharon. . . . . Make The Most Of What Comes And The Least Of What Goes.
Verlyn. . Even The Woodpecker Owes His Success To The Fact That He Uses His Head And Keeps Pecking Away.
Wesley. . . . . None But The Wise Man Can Employ Leisure Time Well.
Winona. . . . . The Only Way To Have A Friend Is To Be One.
Seniors. . . . . It's What We Learn After We Think We Know It All, That Counts.

Honors
V Cross

Winona Morkert
1952 Girls' State

Roger Leader
1952 Boys' State

Rosemarie Mueller
1953 Girls' State

David Holtz
1953 Boys' State

CORNHUSKER BOYS' AND GIRLS' STATE

1952 was the first year that Crofton High School participated in this student government program. Students are selected for their scholastic standing, evidence of citizenship, moral standing in school and community, and leadership qualities. The American Legion Post of Crofton sponsors the Boys' State candidate, and the American Legion Auxiliary and the Crofton Womens' Club sponsors the Girls' State Candidate.

1952 COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Clerk of the District Court. . . . . Winona Morkert
County Attorney. . . . . Mary Lee Greckel
County Clerk. . . . . Paula Janssen
County Judge. . . . . Verlyn Cross
County Sheriff. . . . . Dick Schieffer
County Superintendent. . . . . Rosemary Janssen
County Treasurer. . . . . Harry Smith
County Assessor. . . . . Marjorie Kuehler
Registrar of Deeds. . . . . Delores Harrom
County Commissioner. . . . . Alvina Rothleubber
County Commissioner. . . . . Denelda Bruns
County Commissioner. . . . . Daniel Lukens

BABE RUTH SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD
Delores Harrom Dennis Engstedt

For the third year Babe Ruth Sportsmanship medallions have been awarded to a Senior girl and a Senior boy for exemplifying good sportsmanship and fair play during their four years in high school. Dennis Engstedt and Delores Harrom were picked for their high ideals and fair play.

The purpose of the Babe Ruth awards is to disseminate information on and to enlist enthusiasm for good sportsmanship and for play. The spirit of fair play and co-operative effort in school and community relations is one of the principal basis for selection. Sportsmanship in activities in the schoolroom, on the athletic field and playground, in the school community, and home and church environment are gravely considered. The awards are not given solely for competitive excellence, popularity, winning the most letters, holding the most offices and the like---although some weight is given to these factors. A very broad interpretation of fair play and sportsmanship is adopted.

Athletics
ATHLETIC AWARD
FIRST PLACE
VCross

The Maroon and White

1952 WARRIORS' Schedule

Crofton	18	Verdigre	32
Crofton	31	Newcastle	18
Crofton	12	Wayne Prep	14
Crofton	38	Niobrara	18
Crofton	14	Winside	31
Crofton	7	Coleridge	25
Crofton	39	Wausa	7
Crofton	39	Osmond	6

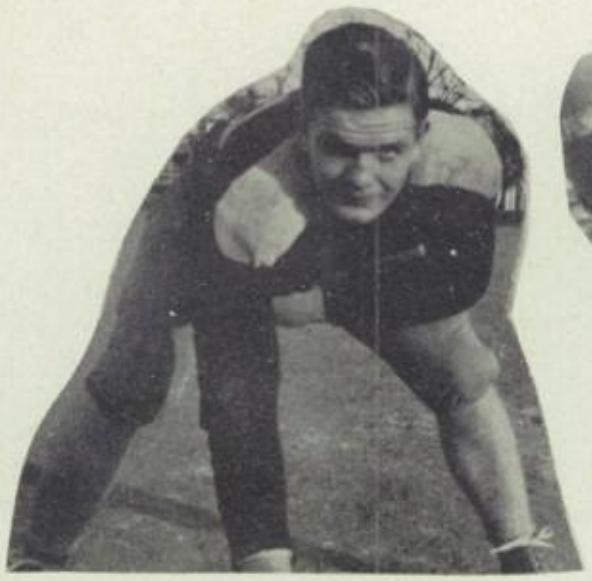
The Big Six

DREISMEIER-Halfback
MOST VALUABLE

MEYER-Quarterback

ENGSTEDT-Halfback

LOCKMAN-Right End



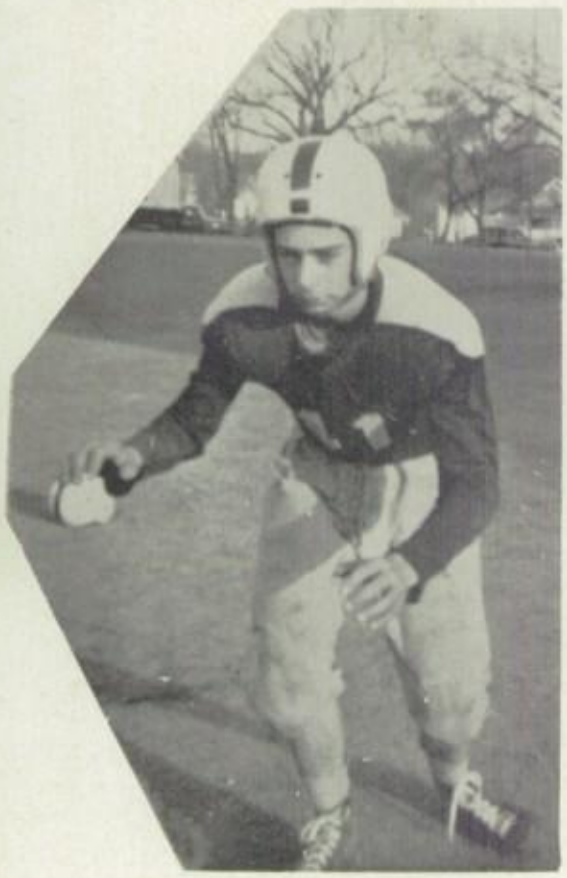
SMITH-Center

COUCHMAN-Left End

HOFMAIER-Reserve End

Wausa-Crofton Game

JACKSON-Reserve Back



KREMER-Reserve Back

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1953 WARRIORS

TOP ROW:
Coach Oleson, H. Smith, Hofmaier, Sudbeck, Engstedt, Dreismeier, Couchman, Lockman, Berendsen.

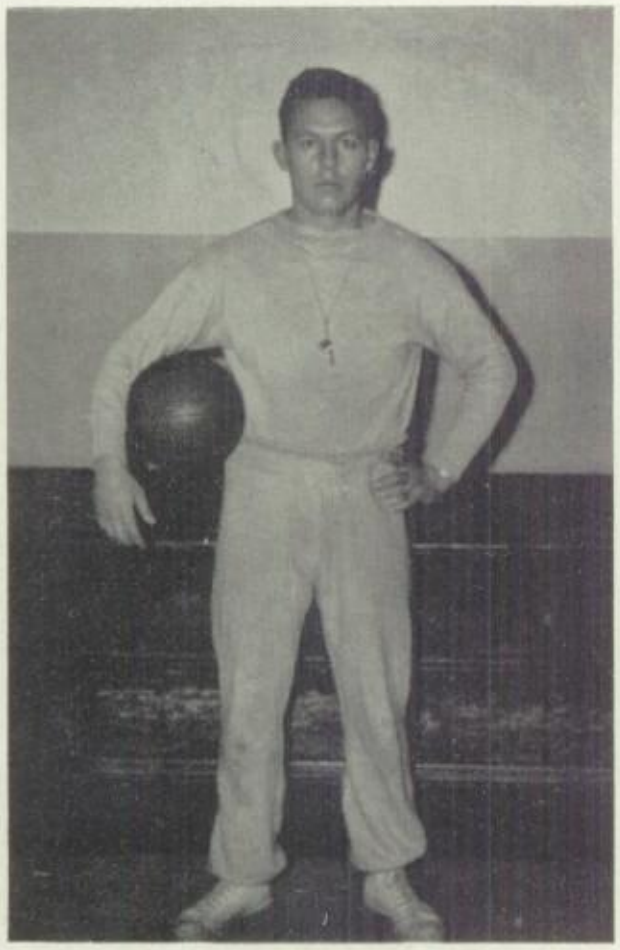
MIDDLE ROW:
Kusel, Sage, Nohr, Filips, Kremer, Meyer, Roberts, Jackson, Zart.

BOTTOM ROW:
Nohr, Beems, Lockman, Steffen, Thompson, Nohr, Boecker, McCabe.

Most Valuable Player
1952

Jerold Dreismeier, Crofton High School Senior, is shown above receiving the Most Valuable Player Award from Wes Fesler, popular coach of the Golden Gophers, University of Minnesota. Jerold was nominated by his fellow teammates and was presented the trophy at the Yankton Chamber of Commerce Quarterback Club Banquet. The entire Warrior football squad attended the affair as guests of the Board of Education.

Warrior Basketball Team



COACH OLESON

Thirty-five eager competitors answered Coach Oleson's call for the 1952-1953 team. The season produced three victories and eleven defeats. Two of these wins were in Corntassel Conference play. Osmond, Newcastle and Lynch were the Crofton victims. Tournament play was not too successful for the Warriors either for they were eliminated in the first rounds of play in both the County and the District meets. Prospects for the coming year are very bright.

1953-53 SCHEDULE

December	5	Coleridge	There
December	12	Wynot	Home
December	16	Verdigre	There
January	6	Wausa	There
January	13	Verdigre	Home
January	16	Winside	Home
January	20	Wynot	There
January	23	Trinity	There
February	3	Coleridge	Home
February	6	Trinity	There
February	10	Newcastle	Home
February	12	Wayne Prep	There
February	17	Lynch	There

They Carried The Load

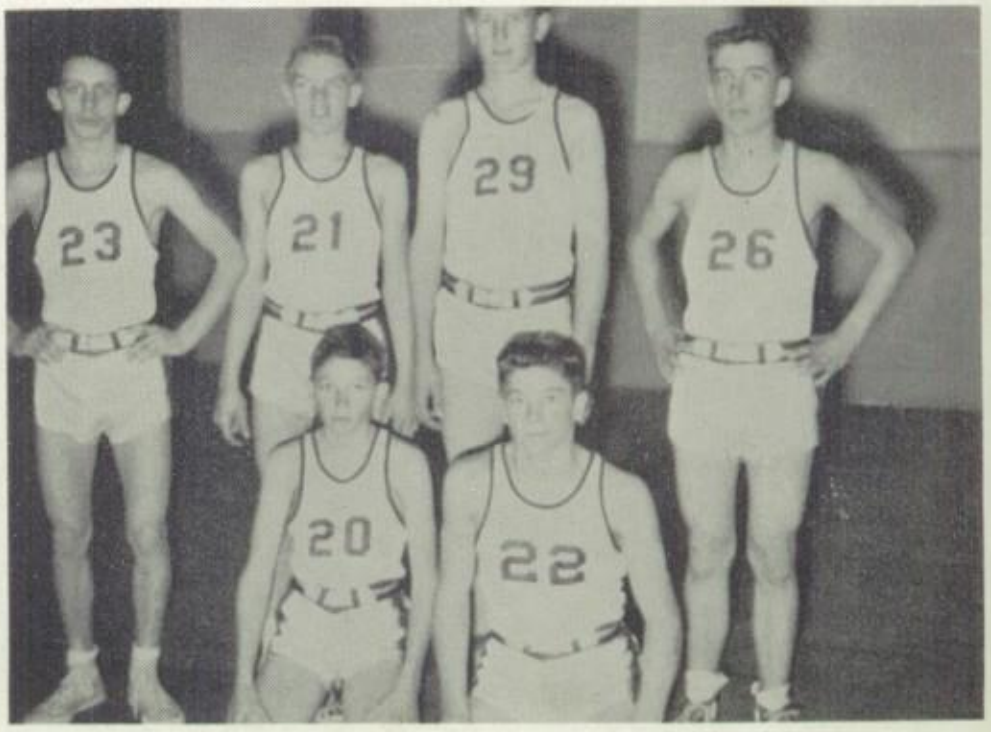
TOP ROW: Coach Oleson, Engstedt, Mischke, Meirose, Friedricksen, Jackson.

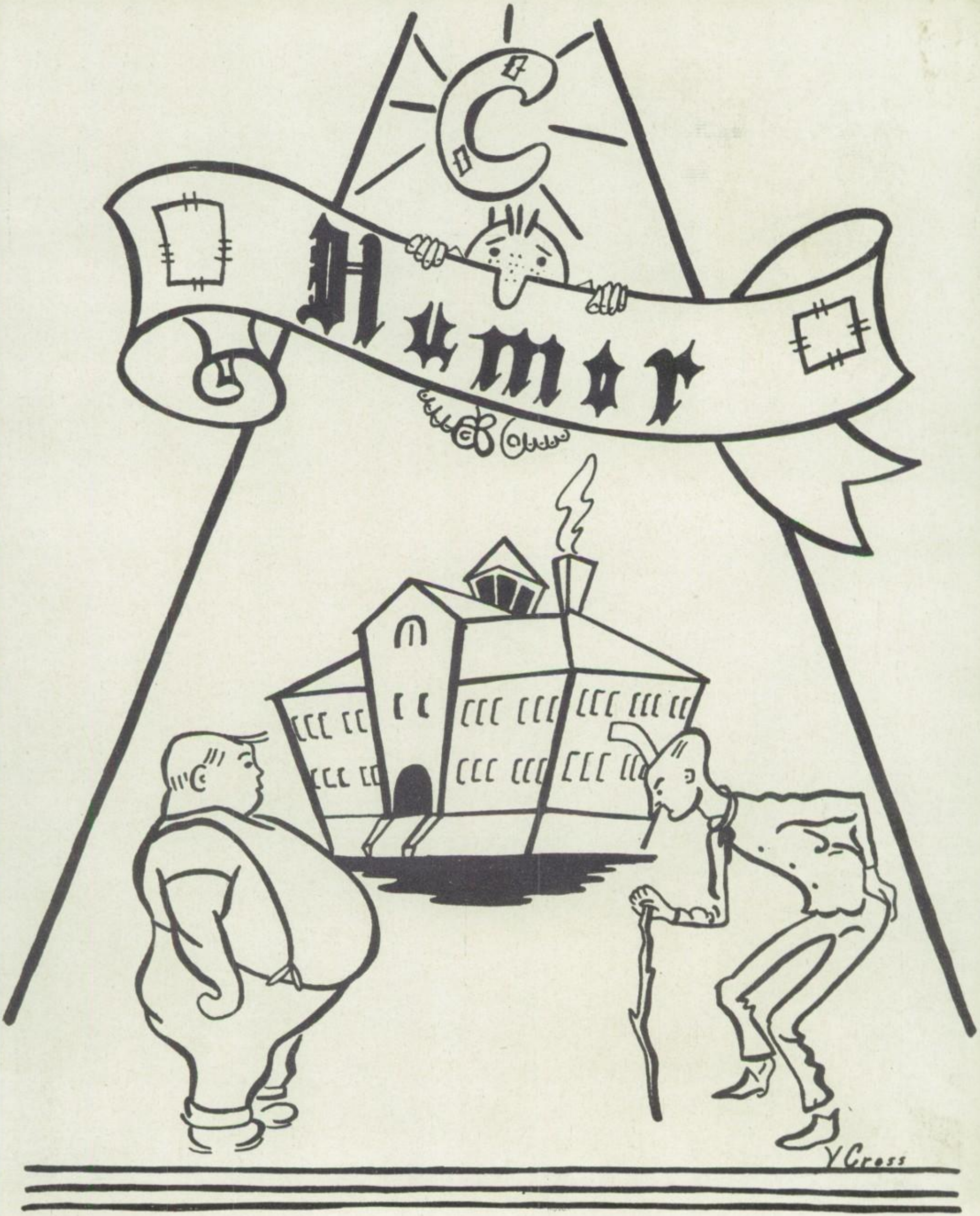
BOTTOM ROW: Meyer, Kremer, 7art, Leader, Hegge.

Future Warriors

TOP ROW: Meyer, J. Nohr, Friedricksen, Kremer.

BOTTOM ROW: Beems, L. Nohr.




Humor
Y Cross

Jiggs! Three Hands!!

Rear View

Oh Happy Day

Freshman Folly

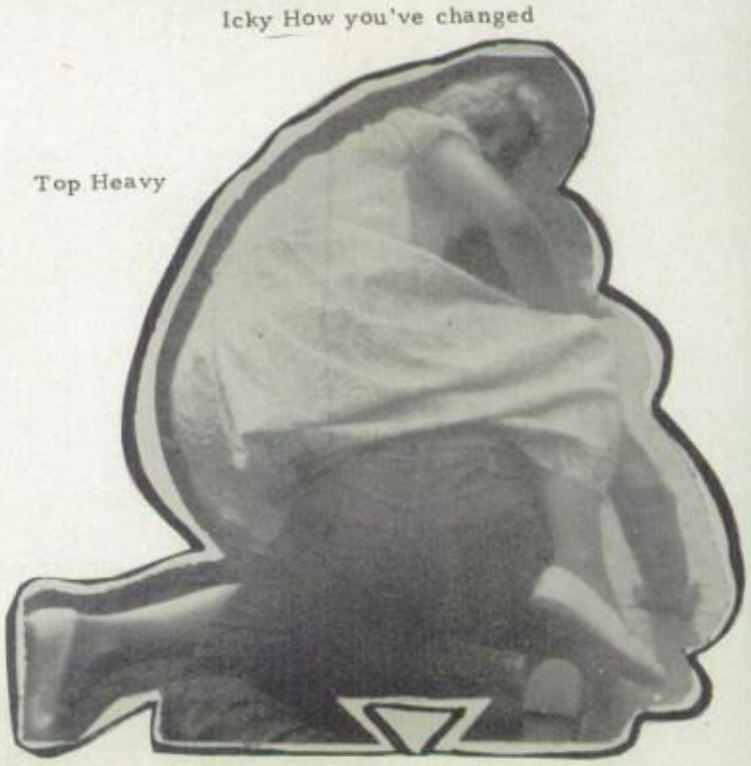
Icky How you've changed

Chickens

Dreamer

Burma Gal

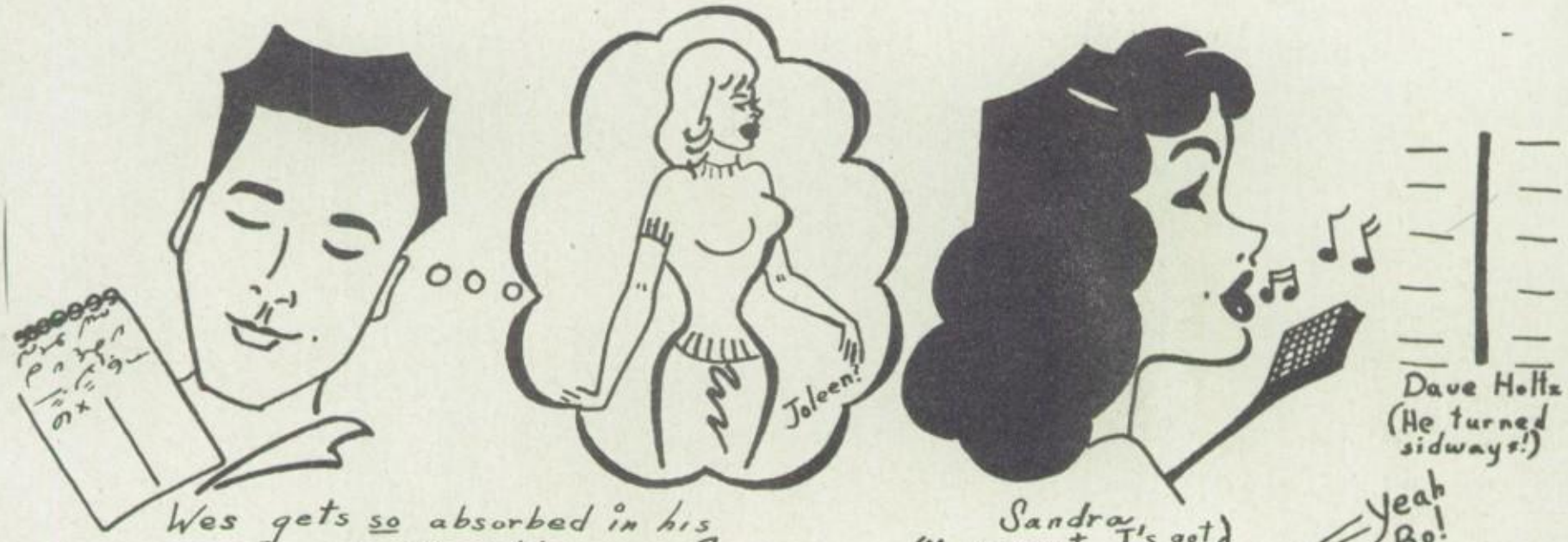
Top Heavy



Water's Fine

Deadly Duo

Chilly

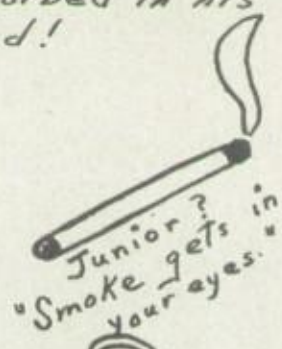


Wes gets so absorbed in his shorthand!

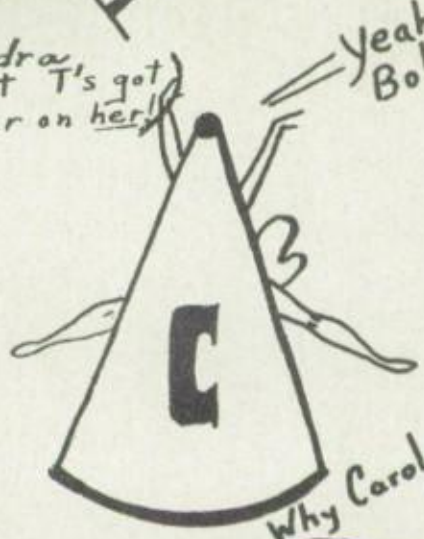
Dave Holtz (He turned sidways!)

Sandra (Margaret T's got nothing over on her!)

Jim's rodent friend?



Hey Dennis!



Yeah Bo!

Why Carolyn!!

Rosie Janssen (Well, it's shut for a change!)

Seniors?

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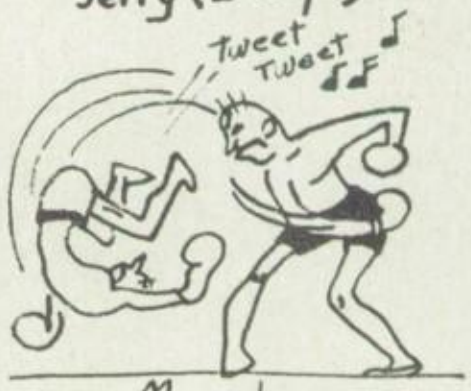
Jerry (Biceps)

Harry (After The Football game)

Winona (Got test tomorrow?)

Darnelle and RoseMarie The 2 B's



Marah (Taking a dive?)

Order, Please

Bogner Half

Sir James

Pic-Push-Pluck

PORTRAIT ALLEY

Spring Fashions

Name It

Jolly Time Gal

Front and Back

S and J

Atlantic City??

Dorothy

Teacher's Looking

Shut Yo' Mouth

After the Party

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We're loyal to you, Crofton High;
We're Maroon and White, Crofton High;
We'll back you to stand,
You're the best in the land,
For you know we have said,
CROFTON HIGH, U, RAH!

Go crashing ahead Crofton High;
And smash that blockade Crofton High;
Our team is the fame protector,
On boys for we expect a basket from you
CROFTON HIGH.

Lead on you dear old flag with colors so bright,
Lead on your sons and daughters fighting for might,
Like men of old and giants, shouting defiance,
Placing reliance, OS KE WAH WAH.

Amid the broad green fields
That nourish our lands.
For honest labor and for learning we stand,
And unto thee we pledge our hearts and hands,
Dear Alma Mater---Crofton High.

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